



# Headliner

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## PRESIDENTS MESSAGE



Wow! All of a sudden we realized that cruising time was drawing short, and September was packed with last hurrahs: "wish booking" at this year's last local swap meets (Randolph and Canfield); celebrating old car camaraderie with

like-minded souls at Sunny Hunt's Fish Fry with co-hosts Anne Davis and Joe Wasielewski (more than 200 cars); mixing and stuffing at the Iacobucci's "Fifth Annual Absolutely Last Pig Roast" with approximately 150 to 175 Ford lovers and raising a tidy sum to split between NORG's coffers and the Hattie Larlham Foundation; and a catered Open House hosted by Bob Jones and his entourage featuring Bob and Shirley's fantastic car collection and, as a special attraction, Gene Blackford's custom "Polynesian," for more than 300 attendees. Topping these activities off, was an invitation from the Nifty Fifty's to attend their covered dish cookout and swim party at NORG members' Ron and Karen Mihalek's lovely home.

Yes, the flathead hobby is alive and well, even as we prepare for winter hibernation. But don't retire your flatheads just yet. Barb Soltis has our Fall Leaf Tour planned for October 25. See inside these pages for details.

Our September meeting was hosted by Joey Jesser of Jesser's Classic Car Keys, who, upon learning that our regular meeting site would not be available, insisted on hosting our meeting at his business where we were treated to sumptuous picnic fare and a great program. As we were leaving, I overheard several of our members agree that we ought to "do this more often." I wasn't sure if they were referring to the program, the food, or the warm hospitality. Of course, they are not mutually exclusive!

We will be back in our "home" meeting place for our October 17 meeting. Program Chair Alex Stall has arranged for our Resident Professional Auctioneer, Bill Holland, to conduct our annual RG fund-raising Auction. Be sure to bring your "white elephants" and donate them to a good cause. Also, several of the ladies have made it clear that they expect the auction contributions to include items of interest to the distaff side as well as car-related goodies.

Let's not disappoint them.

It looks like another month of enjoying flatheads and flathead friends. See you on the 17<sup>th</sup>.



Foster

## OFFICERS & BOARD 2008

- President Foster S. Buchtel
- Vice President: Don Clink
- Secretary: Neal Garland
- Treasure: Ann Davis

### Board of Directors

Ken Canankamp

Bill Royer

Jeep Iacobucci

John Swigart

Alex Stall

Regis Schilling, PP

Kick tires at 7:00 pm

Meeting begins 7:30 pm

Need to be out of there by 10:00 pm

All V8 meetings will be at the Stow Community Center  
3800 Graham Road  
Stow, Ohio

## Please take Note

There Will be a Board Meeting at Foster & Peggy's home Friday before the meeting and Auction!!!

Remember to bring GOOD STUFF for the Auction....  
WOMEN STUFF TOO!!!

Information on Fall Tour planned by Barb & Soltis inside!!!

Christmas party Reminder too



Fall in Westfield Township





## Minutes From the Meeting of September 19, 2008



The meeting was called to order at 7:25 p.m. by president Foster Buchtel. The meeting this month was at Jesser's Auto Clinic and Classic Key Shop on West Street in Akron. Mr. Jesser and his "gang" graciously hosted our meeting AND provided an excellent picnic style dinner to boot! President Foster thanked Joey and crew for their excellent hospitality. Ken Canankamp moved and Ruthie seconded to accept the minutes of the previous meeting before they were read, since they never do make sense even when the secretary does read them. Motion passed. Instead of reading the minutes, the secretary made paper airplanes out of them and spent the evening flying them at various club members. No bombs were attached.

Activities co-chair Barb Soltis informed us that there will be a fall tour on October 25. More on this as details are worked out. She also reminded us of the fish fry at Sonny Hunt's place this coming Sunday (September 21) and also of the Absolutely Last Annual Pig Roast at the Iacobucci's on September 28--unless another hurricane dumps 40 inches of rain on Seville again. Barb also volunteered to be in charge of the coffee pot for the pig roast.

Foster announced that Bill Royer has received the pieces for the 1939 dash that were sent to the chrome plating shop, so work can resume on the dash.

Headliner editor Georgene requested members to send items for her to include in the Headliner. Especially appreciated would be stories about your car--how you acquired it, adventures in restoring it, memorable trips to regional or national meets, and so on. Probably better not send in any stories about how the car figured into your courtship days, however. There is such a thing as too much information.

Ruthie Canankamp offered congratulations to Georgene for all the hard work she puts in on the Headliner and on the excellent results she produces. The club agreed and offered a round of applause. (Question: Have you ever heard of a square of applause?)

Membership chair Dick Deyling noted that several members feel we should publish the club roster every year instead of every other year. He suggested that we think about this and vote on it at the next meeting. Barb Soltis volunteered to check on a less expensive alternative for getting the newsletter printed. Dick reminded us that dues are due for 2009. Please get them in as soon as possible. Dick also informed us that Gene Sanders has volunteered to make a dozen of our license plate toppers and donate them to the club free of charge. Dick has volunteered to paint them in the same way John Coleman painted the previous batch. Much thanks to Gene and Dick--and to John for his past effort.

Ken Canankamp announced that the nominating committee will submit a full slate of candidates at the next meeting for our 2009 club officers.

Alex Stall reminded us that the program for the October meeting will be a "white elephant" auction conducted by member Bill Holland. Now is the time to clean out the basement, attic, garage, and the hall closet and bring unwanted but useful items to be auctioned. Debbie Stall encouraged the women in the club to bring items of interest to women so there will be something to bid on besides rusty and greasy car parts. Proceeds from the auction will go to the club's treasury.

Sunshine co-chair Barb Soltis informed us that Grant Oaks is home and would no doubt appreciate receiving cards from club members. Others to keep in our thoughts and prayers are Dave Duda, Barb Rooney, Jean Rounds, and Charlie Jandik. Discussion was held regarding the arranging of a club outing to visit Herb Strauss in Wooster.

President Foster suggested that we consider having entertainment at the Awards Banquet/Christmas Party. John Swigart will work with Foster to check into possibilities. We adjourned at 7:50 p.m. Our program for the evening was a question and answer session led by Joey Jesser regarding keys for antique cars and the types and uses of POR-15 paint. Thanks much, Joey, for the very useful information--and again, for providing a meeting place and a delicious dinner!!!

Parting thought: A minister decided to illustrate his sermon on clean living by bringing four worms to the pulpit. He dropped the first worm into a jar filled with alcohol. The second worm went into a jar filled with cigarette smoke. The third was deposited into a jar filled with chocolate. The fourth was dropped into a jar filled with clean dirt. Then the minister held the jars up, one at a time, for the congregation to see. "Look at the worm in the jar filled with alcohol," the minister shouted. "DEAD!" Then he held up the second jar. "Look at the worm in the cigarette smoke," he shouted. "DEAD!" Then he held up the third jar. "Look at the worm in the chocolate," he ordered. "DEAD!" Then he held up the fourth jar. "Look at the worm in the good, clean dirt. ALIVE!" Looking intensely at the congregation, he asked, "What do you conclude from this demonstration?"

An elderly woman in the back of the church raised her hand and declared, "If you drink, smoke, and eat chocolate, you won't have worms!"

That pretty well ended the sermon.

*Secretary, Neal*



# Mark Your Calendar Mark Your Calendar

**Saturday October 25, 2008**

This year we're not going to have a Fall Foliage tour!  
Not on your life..... Since Bill Soltis took the route twice  
with Barb this year, in his honor we are calling it *ta ta*  
The Old Farmers Tour

We will meet at the Cracker Barrel on Routes 44 & 96.  
**Leaving from the Back Parking Lot at 9:00AM** . If you  
are planning on having breakfast there **be done by**  
**9:00am**.

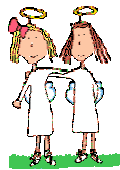
We will be doing a tour of the **Covered Bridges in**  
**Ashtabula County**. Including the brand new one. This  
will be done on **all the back roads**. **AND WE WILL STOP**  
**FOR LUNCH**.

Please call Barb for Attendance count. 330 325 7455

Oh yeh!

Almost forgot... There will be an Ice Cream stop.

## Goodie makers List 2008



- October - Pat Swigart
- November - Carol & Don Clink

A big thanks to everyone who attended the pig roast. It was a fundraising success. The generosity, of those in attendance, will be appreciated by the Hattie Larlham Fund. We had various vendors that helped make this event happen.

A real big thanks to those who came early to help set up and those who stayed a little longer to clean up.

Thanks to my neighbor and good friend John Miller, To Rick Stallard (Rag's and Lois's son) and my family.

Also a big THANKS to Barb Soltis as she is a great asset to this V-8 club. She is always there when we need her. Jeep

## Christmas Party Update

The party will be at the same place as last year. Das Dutch Kitchen in Dalton Ohio

We will be served in what they call the Cottage. It is a separate building just to the North of the entrance we used last year. It is a little larger, and accommodates 60 people.

Since we are using the Cottage it will cost \$16.59 per head. Be there by 5:15PM. We have it for 2 1/2 hrs anything over is \$50.00 Per Hour.

It will be family style. Honey Baked Chicken and Roast Beef, Garden Salad, Corn, Assorted Home Made Pies.

The date is **Saturday, December 6 2008**. I must have a **head count and your money no later than November 29,2008**.

*John Swigart*



Hey, every one.... Sorry news letter is not up to par. Neither is your Editor. **Please no cards!!!** I missed a few things I have pictures of the pig roast, fish fry at Sonny Hunts and from the last meeting. I'll try to get them in next month. You'll enjoy them - I did. Also here is a picture so you ladies don't miss the recipe. I had one done but I'm doing something special for it so now you just have to wait & see. Oh, and please if I forgot anything remind me. OKAY???

*I love a good meal!  
So I don't cook.*



As of November 1st. Please change our address

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# N.O.R.G. CALENDAR PROGRAMS & ACTIVITIES 2008

• **OCTOBER**

17th

**Board Meeting** - Prior to regular meeting 5:00 @ Foster & Peggy's home  
**Meeting** -Auction w/ Bill Holland

25th

**Fall Tour** - New covered bridge in Ashtabula (*details next newsletter*)

• **NOVEMBER**

21st

**Meeting** -

• **DECEMBER**

6th

**Christmas Party** - Das Dutch Kitchen (*RSVP John & Pat Swigart 330 335 7173*)  
(*Head Count must be in by November 8, 2008*)

# Attention

Don't forget to bring things for the auction at the October meeting. Lets bring some stuff for the ladies too.... Lets all get in on the fun.

**DUES FOR THE YEAR 2009 ARE DUE.  
PLEASE JOIN NOW**

**NORTHERN OHIO REGIONAL GROUP  
EARLY FORD V8 CLUB OF AMERICA  
PO BOX 1074  
CUYAHOGA FALLS OH. 44223**

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IF THERE ARE NO CHANGES  
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**LIST ALL EARLY FORDS OWNED  
( 32 TO 53 ) AND HIGEST AWARD  
WON AT A V8 NATIONAL MEET  
YEAR MAKE MODEL AWARD**  
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**MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO N. O. R. G.  
MAIL TO: DICK DEYLING :726 REHWINKLE RD.: SAGAMORE HILLS OH. 44067**





- 3rd Marie Royer
- 4th Jean Rounds
- 8th Barb Rooney
- 10th Tom Somsak
- 10th Bill Soltis
- 29th Jim Bates
- 29th Dave Duda

**Headliner deadline**  
is the first day of the month.  
Please E-mail articles, tech tips, outing  
write-ups, club news to:  
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**\*AND\***  
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OR bring a picture to a meeting



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